IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF GEORGIA ATHENS DIVISION

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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v.

CASE NO. 3:24-CR-9 (TES)

JESSICA CRAWFORD

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Defendant

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PRELIMINARY ORDER OF FORFEITURE/MONEY JUDGMENT

WHEREAS, on November 5, 2024, Defendant Jessica Crawford (hereinafter "Crawford" or "Defendant"), pled guilty to Counts One and Thirty-Seven of the Indictment charging her with Wire Fraud, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1343, and Aid or Assist False or Fraudulent Document, in violation of Title 26, United States Code, Section 7206(2);

AND WHEREAS, the Indictment contained a generic Forfeiture Notice, pursuant to which the United States seeks forfeiture under Title 18, United States Code, Section 981(a)(1)(C), in conjunction with Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c), of any property real or personal, which constitutes or is derived from proceeds traceable to the offense(s), or a conspiracy to commit such offense, including, but not limited to a personal money judgment in an amount to be determined as to the wire fraud violation(s);

AND WHEREAS, the United States has filed a Motion and Memorandum for the Issuance of a Preliminary Order of Forfeiture/Money Judgment against Crawford in the

amount of seven hundred forty-six thousand, six hundred nineteen dollars and thirty-four cents (\$746,619.34), representing the proceeds of the violation(s) as a result of such offense(s); and

WHEREAS, Rule 32.2(c)(1) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure provides that "no ancillary proceeding is required to the extent that the forfeiture consists of a money judgment";

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED THAT:

- 1. Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 981(a)(1)(C), 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c), 18 U.S.C. § 3554, and Rule 32.2(b), Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, the Court finds by a preponderance of the evidence that the United States has demonstrated the required nexus between the personal money judgment amount and the offense(s) of conviction, and the Defendant shall forfeit to the United States the sum of seven hundred forty-six thousand, six hundred nineteen dollars and thirty-four cents (\$746,619.34).
- 2. The United States District Court, Middle District of Georgia, shall retain jurisdiction in the case for the purpose of enforcing this Order of Forfeiture/Money Judgment.
- 3. Pursuant to FED. R. CRIM. P. 32.2(b)(4), this Order of Forfeiture/Money Judgment shall become final as to the Defendant at the time of sentencing and shall be made part of the sentence and included in the judgment.

4. As issued this date, this Order of Forfeiture/Money Judgment consists of a judgment for a sum of money. The United States may, at any time, move pursuant to FED. R. CRIM. P. 32.2(e), to amend this Order of Forfeiture/Money Judgment if the Government locates specific assets traceable to the subject property or other assets subject to forfeiture as substitute assets pursuant to 21 U.S.C. § 853(p), as incorporated by 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c), through 18 U.S.C. § 981(a)(1)(C).

SO ORDERED, this <u>17th</u> day of <u>March</u>, 2025.

s/Tilman E. Self, III

TILMAN E. SELF, III, JUDGE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT MIDDLE DISTRICT OF GEORGIA

PREPARED BY:

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